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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:
Laurence J. Ayling


Serial No.: 10/780,796

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Title: Continuous Circulation
Drilling Method

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for
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Claim 1 (Amended)

Claims 2 - 10 (New)